

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION  
(RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

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Application Number	10/814,823
Filing Date	March 31, 2004
First Named Inventor	Franck Roche
Group Art Unit	2183
Examiner Name	Robert Fennema
Attorney Docket Number	00RO30654423

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.  
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
- a.        Previously submitted
- i.        Consider the amendments/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on December 4, 2006
- (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii.        Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii.        Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. X Enclosed
- i. X Amendment/Reply
- ii.        Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii.        Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv.        Other \_\_\_\_\_
2.        Miscellaneous
- a.        Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b.        Other \_\_\_\_\_
3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.14) when the RCE is filed; Fee calculated as shown below.)
- a.        Checks in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- b. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge or credit any discrepancies in fee amounts to Deposit Acct. No. 01-0484.
- c. X Payment by credit card on EFS-Web.
- i. X RCE fee (\$790 large entity or \$395 small entity) required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii.        Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.137 and 1.17)
- iii.        Other \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED**

NAME	David S. Carus, Reg. No. 59,291
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SIGNATURE 

DATE	October 31, 2007
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